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Mr. Jas. W. Shealy, of the Fork Farm Demonstrator for this County, was in town Monday on business connected with his work. He is very much pleased with the condition of the growing crops of Lexington.

One of the best selected stocks of dry goods, dress patterns, tailored suits, notions of all kinds can always be found at Wm. Platt & Son, Columbia. Prices always the lowest.

Swansea Items.

Miss Enla B. Hutto of the North graded school faculty presented two amusing and very enjoyable plays with her music and high school pupils at the school auditorium here on Friday evening. A neat sum for the benefit of the North school music department was realized.

Miss Ellen Anderson of Ninety-Six, who is now a student at Columbia College, spent the week-end with Miss Helen Thacker.

Rev. N. N. Burton, of Batesburg, filled the Baptist pulpit here Sunday night.

Miss Eulalie Quattlebaum has returned after two months' visit to relatives and friends in Maryland and Pennsylvania.

Earl Smith, Lewis and Carlisle East, students of Wofford college, who spent the festival holidays at home, returned to Spartanburg last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mallie Williams and children are at home again after a week with relatives in Orangeburg.

Mrs. J. L. Haigler was a visitor in Columbia last week.

Miss Gussie Oleckley is visiting her sisters at Norway.

Alva Phin visited his old home at Norway last week.

Miss Mamie McMichael, of Orangeburg, was the guest of Mrs. C. H. Corbit last week.

Miss Lucy Riser, of Leesville, who now teaches at North, spent the week end with Miss Isabel Brooker.

Mrs. W. B. Haigler has returned after spending some days with Mrs. Harry Hydrick, near North. O.

Chapin News.

Much interest is shown in the approaching commencement of the Chapin High School, to be held May 16-20.

The auditorium of the building which was not completed two years ago is being well finished and will be furnished with a handsome piano in readiness for commencement exercises. The exercises begin this year Friday, May 16th, with the oratorical contest between the three high schools of Chapin, Little Mountain and Prosperity. There will be two contestants from each school.

Sunday, May 18th, the baccalaureate's sermon will be preached by the Rev. S. P. Koon, president of Summerland college. Monday exercises by the school, consisting of drills, declamations, etc., will follow, and Tuesday evening exercises by the graduating class. The class this year, 25 in number, is the largest in the history of the school.

The diplomas will be presented by R. Wilbur Frick, a graduate of Newberry college. Mr. Frick will also make the closing address.

This session closes one of much success. All teachers, with Prof. J. Ed. Shealy as principal, Miss E. Hel Cline, Misses Maggie Shular, Effie Smith and Lois Eleazer, assistants, deserve much credit for their good works.

The enrollment of pupils reached the number of 266-77 of this number being high school pupils.

Teachers for next session have not as yet been elected.

Miss Lois Eleazer spent the week end with her aunt, Mrs. Singley at Prosperity.

Mr. Fred Hiller, a student of the S. C. University, has been home for a week due to illness.

Misses Cline, Shuler and Smith teachers here, spent the week end at their homes.

Congressman Lever passed through our town yesterday enroute for Clinton and other points.

There was a temperance meeting held at the Lutheran church Sunday evening consisting of lectures, songs and recitation.

Chapin will play her first match game of the season here Friday afternoon May the 16th, at 4-30 o'clock, with the Columbia Duck Mill team.

Mr. Ed. Lawson, of Columbia, is visiting Auditor Dent. Mr. Lawson is pleasantly remembered by many of our people, he having resided here when he had a position at the Quarry.

Mr. C. E. Jones, a prominent business man of Batesburg, was in here Monday.

DEATHS.

MISS SARAH ROBERTS.

As gently and as peacefully as a sleeping babe upon its mother's bosom, Miss Sarah Roberts, an estimable and highly respected woman, passed from earth to heaven at her home in the Providence section on Friday, May 9th, after a brief illness with heart disease in the 86 year of her age. She was a member of one of the oldest families in this section of the County. She leaves three brothers, J. Sol. Roberts, George E. Roberts and Henry P. Roberts and four sisters, one of whom preceded her to the grave, the living are Mrs. E. E. Cook, Mrs. Dunbar and Mrs. T. S. Harman. In early life she gave her hand to Evangelical Lutheran church and her heart to God, and ever after lived a Godly Christian life, doing unto others as she would have others to do unto her. The funeral services were conducted in Providence church in the presence of a large circle of sorrowing relatives and friends and were conducted by Rev. P. D. Risinger and the interment was in the church cemetery. And thus passed away a grand and good woman.

MISS VILLETTA BOOZER

Miss Villetta, the second daughter of Mr. John G. Boozier died at the home of her parents at Irene, Monday, after a long and painful illness aged about 20 years.

Bright and beautiful in disposition and character, rich in Christian experience, her young life was a charming exemplification of the beatitudes and the practice of these virtues in her daily life attracted all with whom she came in contact. Dutiful as a daughter, loyal as a friend and pleasant as a companion she won and held the love and esteem of a very large circle of friends and acquaintances.

The interment was in the Bailey burying ground near Irene Tuesday in the presence of sorrowing relatives and friends.

Several Robberies.

Since the blowing open of the safe in the store of Mr. G. H. Roof last Wednesday night Sheriff Miller has been a very busy man. Coming on the heels of the Roof robbery came the breaking open of several stores at Cayce. The work at Roof's store was the work of a professional yeggman while the other robberies show the hand mark of amateurs, while the persons who committed them might not be such. Five arrests have been made in connection with the robberies of the three stores at Cayce, two of whom have been released it having been demonstrated that they had nothing whatever to do with them. Detectives connected with the United States secret service have taken up the Roof robbery and important developments are expected.

Picnics.

The Sunday schools of the town have held a joint meeting and decided to hold their picnic this year at Mr. Eli Corley's spring near here on June 7th.

Ample arrangements are being made by those having this matter in charge to bring off the affair successfully by giving all who attend a pleasant time.

There will also be a picnic of the scholars of the Lexington High school on Friday the 23rd of May.

Popular Young Man.

Mr. H. L. Harman, our popular superintendent of education has gone to Clemson College to attend a conference of county superintendents.

While there he will be the guest of Clemson. On his return he will stop over at Chapin where he has been selected as one of the judges in the oratorical contest to be held Friday evening.

He will be back on his job Saturday.

Music Recital.

There will be given in the High School Auditorium a Recital by the pupils of Mrs. E. B. Roof's class, Tuesday evening, May 20th, at 8-30 o'clock.

The latter part of the program will be given by the graduating pupil of the music class of 1913, Mary Susan Roof. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

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40-inch Sea Island, extra good 8 1-3c value; on sale the yard.....5c

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All wool Serge, in blue, brown, cream and black, \$5 value; on sale, the skirt.....\$3.48
Linen Dresses, beautifully trimmed in all the new shades, \$5 value; on sale, the dress.....\$1.98

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Just right for dresses, \$1 value; on sale, at, yard 49c.
ART MATTING FLOOR COVERING.
Art Squares, 12x9, \$5 value.....\$2.98
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